



UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY

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District of New Jersey

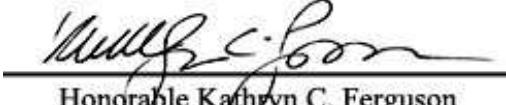
In Re:
Jeffrey Hamilton,
Debtors

Case No.: 17-19229
Chapter: 13
Judge: KCF

**ORDER GRANTING MOTION AND PERMITTING DEBTOR
TO ENTER INTO LOAN MODIFICATION AGREEMENT**

The relief set forth on the following page, numbered two, is hereby **ORDERED**.

DATED: May 15, 2018


Honorable Kathryn C. Ferguson
United States Bankruptcy Judge

THIS MATTER having been opened to the Court upon motion requesting the entry of an Order approving a loan modification agreement between the Debtor(s) and MidFirst Bank (“Creditor”) Doc. No. ____ (the “Motion”) and no objections have been filed, and sufficient cause shown,

It is hereby **ORDERED** that:

1. The Motion is hereby granted and the Debtor is permitted to enter into the loan modification agreement with Creditor attached as an Exhibit to the Motion (the “Agreement”);
2. The Mortgage secured by real property owned by the Debtor as identified in the Agreement is hereby modified in accordance with the terms set forth in the Agreement.
3. The Chapter 13 Trustee shall suspend disbursements to Creditor pending completion of loan modification [**as set forth in the Agreement**] and all money that would otherwise be paid to Creditor, be held until the arrearage portion of the claim is amended to zero, or the claim is withdrawn, or the Trustee is notified by the Creditor that the modification was not consummated;
4. If post-petition arrears are capitalized into the loan modification, the Creditor shall file an amended post-petition claim within thirty (30) days of the date of this Order. Upon receipt of an amended post-petition claim, the Trustee may disburse the funds being reserved pursuant to this order to other creditors in accordance with provisions of the confirmed plan;
5. [**The Creditor shall notify the Trustee and the Debtor’s attorney**] in the event the modification is not consummated. Any money that was held by the Trustee [**for the Creditor pursuant to a timely proof of claim**] pending completion of the modification shall then be paid to Creditor;
6. Debtor shall file an Amended Schedule J and Modified Plan within twenty (20) days of this Order;
7. Communication and/or negotiations between Debtor and mortgagees/mortgage servicers about loan modification shall not be deemed as violation of the automatic stay; and any such communication or negotiation shall not be used by either party against the other in any subsequent litigation.
8. The Debtors shall provide the Trustee with a fully executed copy of the Agreement upon completion.

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CERTIFICATE OF NOTICE

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Date Rcvd: May 15, 2018

Notice by first class mail was sent to the following persons/entities by the Bankruptcy Noticing Center on May 17, 2018.

db +Jeffrey Hamilton, 49 West Park Avenue, Avenel, NJ 07001-1448

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 NONE. TOTAL: 0

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NONE. TOTAL: 0

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I, Joseph Speetjens, declare under the penalty of perjury that I have sent the attached document to the above listed entities in the manner shown, and prepared the Certificate of Notice and that it is true and correct to the best of my information and belief.

Meeting of Creditor Notices only (Official Form 309): Pursuant to Fed. R. Bank. P. 2002(a)(1), a notice containing the complete Social Security Number (SSN) of the debtor(s) was furnished to all parties listed. This official court copy contains the redacted SSN as required by the bankruptcy rules and the Judiciary's privacy policies.

Date: May 17, 2018

Signature: /s/Joseph Speetjens

CM/ECF NOTICE OF ELECTRONIC FILING

The following persons/entities were sent notice through the court's CM/ECF electronic mail (Email) system on May 15, 2018 at the address(es) listed below:

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